assures contraception for three to five years, has undergone Phase HI large scale trials supervised by the ICMR, The vaccine 'igainst the pregnancy hormone has completed successfully phase I clinical trials in women in five major Centres of the country. Another vaccine, for use in animals which sterilizers males without loss of libido has successfuly passed through field testing programmes and has been passed on to a public sector commer-impany for manufacture and distribution .

**Poverty line**

718. SHRI M. VINCENT; Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to estate;

the poverty line in the country during the year 1988; state-wise; and

(b) what Was the poverty line for the last three years?

THE MINISTER OF PLANNING AND THE MINISTER OF PROGRAMME IM PLEMENTATION (SHRI MADHAVSINH SOLANKI): (a) and (b) The poverty line for the year 1983-84 was defined as Rs. 101.80 per capita pe$_r$ month for rural areas and Rs. 117.50 for urban areas, and it was tbe same for the country and the States. Poverty line is updated for the years for which N.S.S. data on consumer expem came availabb. Poverty line for 1988 and for the preceding three years has not been finalised.

**Launching of Heavy Satellites**

719. SHRI K. V. THANGKABALU: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is $_a$ fact that Government of France have offered to help in launching of heavy satellites:

(b) if so, what are the details in this regard: and

(c) whether Government have accepted the offer, if so, with what results?

THE,MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECH-NOLOGY AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT, ATOMIC ENERGY, ELECTRONICS AND SPACE (SHRI K. R. NARAYANAN): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

**Primary Health Centres**

720. SHRI SUBAS MOHANTY: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Primary Healths Centres functioning i$_n$ each State at the beginning of the Seventh Five Year Plan; and

(b) the number of Primary Health Centres likely to be established during the Seventh Five Year Plan period and the achievement made in this direction so far?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROI KHAP-ARDE): (a) and (b) The number of Primary Health Centre; functioning as on 1-4-1985, the targets for the Seventh Five Year Plan period and the achievement made in this direction till December, 1988 ! is given in the statement *(see* below)

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Statement

*Primary Health Centres : Progress of Establishment*

| State | No. of PHC. Functioning as on 1-4-85 | 7th Plan Targets | 7th Pl.n Ach. till Dec. 1988 | Cum Ach till Dec. 1988 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| Andhra Pradesh | 555 | 1150 | 728 | 1283 |
| Arunachal Pradesh | 0 | 2? | 21 | 21 |
| Assam | 237 | 200 | 200 | 437 |
| Bihar | 796 | 1500 | 759 | 1555 |
| Goa, Daman & Diu | 15 | *1* | 4 | (9 |

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Gujarat . | 310 | 690 | 358 | 668 |
| Haryana . | 163 | 212 | 141 | 304 |
| Himachal Pradesh | 117 | 83 | 43 | 160 |
| Jammu & Kashmir | 123 | 200 | 136 | 259 |
| Karnataka | 365 | 805 | 264 | 629 |
| Kerala | 199 | 833 | 396 | 595 |
| Madhya Pradesh i | 680 | 731 | 354 | 1034 |
| Maharashtra . | 1539 | 261 | 0 | 1539 |
| Manipur . | 31 | 33 | 20 | 51 |
| Meghalaya | 32 | 22 | 24 | 56 |
| Mizoram . , | 19 | 18 | 13 | 32 |
| Nagaland | 21 | 12 | 6 | 27 |
| Orissa | 484 | 500 | 305 | 789 |
| Punjab . | 1706 | 330 | 150 | 1856 |
| Rajasthan . | 448 | 702 | 150 | 598 |
| Sikkim | 18 | 2 | 2 | 20 |
| Tamil Nadu | 436 | 1057 | 402 | 838 |
| Tripura . | 32 | 15 | 17 | 49 |
| Uttar Pradesh . | 1169 | 2500 | 1307 | 2476 |
| West Bengal . | 1172 | 488 | 239 | 1411 |
| Pondicherry | 14 | 6 | 4 | 18 |
| A&N Islands , | 6 | 5 | 7 | 13 |
| Chandigarh | 0 | 3 | 0 | N/A |
| D&N Haveli | 3 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| Delhi | 8 | 0 | 0 | 8 |
| Lakshadweep | 7 | 0 | 0 | 7 |
| TOTAL: | 10705 | 12390 | 6851 | 16756 |

**Job avenues for educated unemployed youth**

721. SHRI BAIKUNTHA NATH SAHU: Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state.

(a) whether Government have a proposal to create additional job avenues for educated unemployed youths in 1989-90;

(b) if so, the various employment oriented schemes proposed to be introduced therefor; and

(c) what are the details targets set for the creatoin of jobs in 1989-90?

THE MINISTER OF PLANNING AND THE MINISTER OF PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRI MADHAVSINH SOLANKI); (a) to (c) The Annual Plan 1989-90 in general seeks to promote generation of employment opportunities for the educated youth in all sectors through various development programmes. This is supplemented by employment oriented programmes being continued in 1989-90 such as the scheme for providing Self-Employment for Educated Unemployed Youth, the activities of the National Science and Technology Entrepreneurship Development Board to create awareness of entrepreneurship among science and technology persons and provide training on entrepreneurship and programmes ijx the Khadi and Village Industries for promoting skill-orient rural industries. Schemes like the Integrated Rural Development Programme (IRDP), Training of Rural Youth for Self-Employment (TRYSEM) and self-Employment Programme for Urban Poor (SEPUP) would generate employment opportunities for the educated and uneducated youth. Overall targets of employment generation in 1989-90 have not been fixed.

722. (Transferred to the 13th March, 1989)

**Production of spurious drugs**

723. SHRI JAGADISH JANI: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state;

(a) whether it is a fact that the production of spurious drugs has increased in some parts of the country;

(b) if so, the steps taken to curb the manufacture of spurious drugs; and

(c) the steps taken to strengthen the Food and Drug Control Administration?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) This Ministry has not received any information regarding increase in the production Of spurious drugs in some parts of the country.